From:	Ascolese , Liana
To:	Hirschi, Anna Lee
Subject:	RE: I know Alanna is in Costa Rica, but does she want to co-sponsor? They talked about it on the pod
Date:	Wednesday, April 18, 2018 12:41:47 PM

I'm sure she'd love to be on this so I will say yes for her☺

From: Hirschi, Anna Lee
Sent: Wednesday, April 18, 2018 12:38 PM
To: Ascolese , Liana <lascolese@cambridgema.gov>
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WHEREAS: The Women in Comedy Festival (WICF) was held from April 19, 2018- April 22, 2018 and has gained an international reputation for world-class comedy since it was founded in 2009 and; and

WHEREAS: WICF flips the typical male-to-female ratio in comedy, as over 80% of its 200 performers are women; and

WHEREAS: Thousands of audience members flocked to Cambridge this spring to participate in and watch the 9th annual gathering of this four-day (and night) extravaganza from April 18 to the 2nd, which included affordable workshops and free panels for the community led by professional comedians, writers, and industry experts; therefore let it be

RESOLVED: That the City Council go on record wishing the organizers and participants of the WICF on a successful boundary-bending ratio-flipping festival; and be it further

RESOLVED: That the City Clerk be and hereby is requested to forward a suitably engrossed copy of this resolution to the Women In Comedy Festival on behalf of the entire City Council.

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